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A method for recording still picture group management information (~~VOBG~~) for managing one or more still pictures (~~VOB~~) as a still picture group (~~VOBG~~) onto a storage medium. The method includes recording still picture management information (~~VOB~~) in the still picture group management information (~~VOBG~~) in the same order of recording corresponding still pictures (~~VOB~~). The still picture management information (~~VOB~~) is classified into types of still picture management information including a first type of still picture management information (~~V_I~~), a second type of still picture management information (~~V_OA_I~~), a third type of still picture management information (~~V_AA_I~~), and a fourth type of still picture management information (~~V_OA_AA_I~~). The still picture management information (~~VOB~~) also has a data size designated by the type.